DISTRICT TARS NOW SAILING OCEAN BLUE

Battleship Rhode Island Begins Second Leg of Cruise to

LEWES, Del., July 8 (on board battleship Rhode Island).-The first leg of the cruise to Bermuda is ended and not a recruit-seaman is uncertain about the enjoyment he will have before the two weeks trip is over. The members of the Naval Battalian of the District of Columbia, are not veteran sailers by any means, but the 165 miles from Hampton Roads to Lewes were covered n a manner that convinced their shipmates that the trip down the oPtomac Sunday night from Washington was enough to put them securely on their

The District Reserves are already into the thick of the work and fun on board ship. Led by Commander Joseph A. Dempf, the militiamen made up their minds when they left the Seventh street wharf to be regular tars from the get-away, and thus far not a one has draped himself over the side and facused his attention on the cruel waters beneath. Commander Dempf has een mumbling strange nautical-soundphrases to his men since Sunday, ing phrases to his men since Sunday, and they seem to understand what it's all about. With the regulars on board the Rhode Island this familiarity with the language of the deep has made a favorable impression. The District citizen-sailors, thereby, are expected to be called upon to do much of the really difficult work on the cruise to Bermuda, while the North Carolina. New Jersey, and Pennsylvania reserves will be called upon to devote their time admiring the seamanship of the Capital tars, and doing the less scientific tasks, such as scouring the brass and scrubbing the deck of the huge ship.

In Charge of Engines.

In Charge of Engines. The engineers' division of the District Militia, forty-six in number, has aken charge of the engines of the Rhode Island and with the aid of members of the New Jersey engineerreserves, the Washington sailors expect to have charge of the belowdeck activities the entire trip. The
work in the engine rooms is not new
to the District men, as most of them
help to build the very same kind of
engines used on the Rhode Island at
the Washington Navy Yard. Some
of the more energetic members of the
battalion are stokers par-excellence,
while there isn't an oil-cup on the while there isn't an oil-cup on the giant power machines that hasn't gotacquainted with at least one ober of the engineers' division. The acquaintance of several guns has siresdy been made by members of the District battallon's gunners, and the regulars in charge the instructing the District men in the mechanism of the death implements to the control of the contr death implements, preparatory to the practice off Tangier Sound later in the

The Navy Department has put up a trophy for the best target work done by the naval militia organizations on the cruise, and the District gunners are anxious to win the prize.

Off On Shore Leave. The Pennsylvania and New Jersey re-

serves came aboard here yesterday, and on regulars left the Rhode Island at he same time to enjoy two weeks' shore leave. There remains enough real sallors to see that the reserves act according to sall the rules of seamanship,
but the regulars will divide their time
in bossing the militiamen and then
soothing the possible sore spots by entertainment at night.

Before the Phode Island starmed out
on the "board directors" of the Pro-

pictures and athletic stunts to keep ing pictures and sthictic stunts to keep the embryo-sailors out of mischief on their first real test of their sea-legs on the broad bosom of the Atlantic. The departure from here was taken at 130 o'clock. The next stop is Bermuda, where the Rhode Island is expected to anchor on Saturday.

Home Rule Mass Meeting To Be Held This Evening

Resolutions indorsing the action of the jury in ousting Commissioner O. P. Newman, and favoring the selection of a business man as a member of the Board of Commissioners, are expected to be passed at a home-rule mass meeting tonight in Moore's Garden Theater. n Ninth street northwest. The speakers will be Congressman

Philip Campbell, of Kansas, William F. Gude, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Dr. J. K. Cleason, department commander of the G. A. R.; Martin Wiegand, and C. C. Lancaster. The First Infantry Band of the District National Guard will play.

Militants Make Attempt On Burns' Birthplace

rounds in the early merning discovered two women placing bombs beneath
the little cottage. Giving chase he
caught one of the militants, but the
other escaped.

July 10. Baltimore & Ohio from Union

Will Attend Launching.

Secretary Daniels will leave Washington Friday to attend the launching of he battleship Nevada, which will occur at 1 o clock next Saturday at the Fall River Shipbuilding Company's yard, Quincy, Mass. He will leave Quincy that afternoon for Newport, R. L. where he will address the war college there on Monday and will return to Washington Monday night.

His Only Suit, Stolen.

NEW YORK, July 3.-Elias Laurie, actor, pleaded with a judge not to transferm him into a 'September Morn' by taking away an alleged stolen suit—the one Flias had on his

Three Die in Submarne. PARIS, July 8.-Three members of the crew of the French submarine Calypeo

perished when the craft was sunk during maneuvers. Earlier reports de-clared that all members of the crew were rescued.



HOST TO FLORISTS



WILLIAM F. GUDE,

Florists Attend Fete On Lawn of W. F. Gude

There will be a conservatory or other form of memorial erected to the memory of William R. Smith, late superintendent of the Botanic Garden and "dear of American horticulturists," if plans of the Washington Florists' Club, adopted last night, are successful. At the business session and laws

party of the club, held last night at the home of William F. Gude, high tribute was paid to the memory of the noted horticulturist by the gathered florists, many of whom came from Baltimore. guests, who numbered nearly 500, gathered on the lawn amid the flowers, flags, and lanterns and listened to the program provided by Mr. and Mrs. Gude. The feature of the evening's entertainment was a lecture by Richard Vincent, jr., of White Marsh, Md., on "A Trip Through Scotland—the Land of Burns." This was followed by a number of selections by the Kallipolis Grotto Band, directed by Sam Shreve, and contributions, musical and others, from representatives of Washington's from residents of those States.

Close Comfort Station. After the regular pusiness session the

and contributions, musical and others, from representatives of Washington's "local talent."

At the business meeting it was decided to hold a flower show, November 2 to 8, at the Masonic Temple, to contain exhibits from all over the country. It will be known as the Washington Chrysanthemum Show, under the auspices of the Washington Florists' Club.

Police Say "Millionaire" Is Ex-Mission "Guest"

Arrested by Central Office Detectives Burlingame and Baur, a man who describes himself as John H. McLauchlan, thirty-nine, a millionaire manufacturer, of Owen Sound, Canada, is being held at No. 1 police station pending an investigation into a stock promotion

scheme. The detectives say that McLauchlan was formerly a guest at Central Union Mission, where he wrestled daily with a buck saw for his bed and board.

tertainment at night.

Before the Rhode Island steamed out of here last night, the regulars were posed company, instructing them to deplanning a program of vaudeville, movshares of stock in the company

Williams Fighting for Albanian Freedom

George Fred Williams, Massachusetts knight errant diplomat, will continue his fight for the independence of Al-

Apparently in his old fighting trim and undaunted by the opposition of all the great powers of Europe, Williams says he urged the Albanians to declare for independence when he saw how Prince William of Wied was playing off Catholic against Moslem, and embroil-

Catholic against Moslem, and embroling the country in cruel war.

His cable says:

"I have resigned as minister to Greece in order that I may work for the freedom of Albania without embarrassing my Government. I have treed the union of all the Albanian forces under the 'canton' form as in force in Switzerland, with a decentralized mode of government."

Meeting to Protest on Saloons in Southeast

How best to go about circulating petitions to rid East Washington of all ATR. Scotland. July 3.—Robert saloons will be discussed tonight at a mass meeting of the East Washington Civic Association in Trinity M. E. Church. Fifth street and Seward square which homever, was nipped in the bud.

A night watchman making his countries on the propounds in the early morning discovered two women placing bombs beneath the little cottage. Giving chase he countries and others will speak.

July 10. Baltimore & Ohlo from Union Station, 7:45 a.m. Modern coaches and parlor cars—dining car from Phitadel-phin. Tickets limited 15 days. Liberal stopovers returning. Other excursions July 24. Aug. 7 and 21, Sept. 4 and 18, Oct. 2.—Advt.

Atlantic City AND RETURN Sunday, July August 9 and 23

SPECIAL TRAIN

Lv. Union Station 7:15 a. m.

Returning, Leave Atlantic City 6 p. m.

Baltimore & Ohio

GREECE TURNS OVER A \$12,535,275 CHECK

Battleships Idaho and Missisissippi at Once Transferred to New Owners.

A check for \$12,535,275.96 was signed and the transfer of two of the world's big battleships made in the office of the Secretary of the Navy today, with as little concern as if the check were stage one and the battleships toys.

The Idaho and the Mississippi, two of
the vessels of the American navy, were

the vessels of the American navy, were sold for that amount, and in the future rill fly the flag of Greece. This was he original cost.

The check was drawn on the Riggs National Bank, of this city, and was signed by F. J. Gantlett, Washington representative of the Newport News Ship and Drydock Company. Gantlett immediately will transfer the ships to Greece.

Ships Will Be Renamed.

Commander P. D. Poukelas, represent ing the Greek navy, announced that the Idaho will be the Lemnes, and the Mis issippi, the Kilkis,

The signing of the check by Cantlett and its indorsement by Secretary Danand its indersement by secretary Daniels took place while a number of navy efficials, representatives of the Greek government, and of shipbuilding companies looked on.

Secretary Daniels immediately turned

Secretary Paniels immediately turned the big check over to the Treasury Department for deposit.

"That's the biggest check I ever looked at," said Secretary Daniels as he waved the precious silp of paper to the spectators. Then he turned to Commander Poukelas and said: "I congratulate you on getting two good shipse I trust they will be used in the interest of peace." Poukelas shoow hands and smiled, but said nothing.

Naming New Dreadnoughts. Secretary Daniels said he would post-

selection, and are

Lot No. 1.

Papers Worth \$2.00

Bundle for 50c

None Reserved.

The public confort station at Ninth \$3.00 to Atlantic City and Return \$3.00 and K streets northwest will be closed July f, because of lack of funds to maintain it. This announcement was Atlantic City, 6:00 p. m. Grand oppormade this afternoon by the plumbing department of the District.

Sunday, July 12th, Baltimore & Ohio July f. Street, Baltimore & Ohio July f. Street,

One-third of Workers Are Farm Employes

One-third of the workers of the United States when the census of 1910 was taken were employed on farms, according to a bulletin on occupation statistics just issued by the Census Bureau. An interesting feature of the report is that while only 38,167,336 persons, or 53.3 per cent of the population ten years of age and over, were employed at gainful occupations, the proportion of working population showed a big increase over earlier census computa-

The proportion of the population engaged in gainful occupations increased gradually from 47.3 per cent in 1880 to 53.3 per cent in 1319. In the male population, ten years of age and over, the proportion gain-fully employed increased gradually from 78.7 per cent in 1880 to 81.3 per cent in 1910, while the proportion of gainful workers in the female popu-lation, ten years of age and over, increased from 14.2 per cent to 23.4 per cent. Giving statistics by States the Census Bureau shows that Iowa had the smallest percentage of its population

Enjoyable Outing by Potomac Boat Club

Members of the Potomac Boat Club say today that the excursion to Marshall Hall yesterday was one of the most enjoyable ever held. More than 1,000 members, their families and friends attended, prominent among them being "Jim" Rice, rowing oeach at Colum-bia University, whose varsity eight won the annual regatta on the Hudson this year.

year.
The entertainment committee consisted of Claude R. Zappone, chairman; W. F. Powell, vice chairman; Frank Chamberlain, and John L. Vandegrift.

Foes of Industrial Body

W. B. Moses & Sons.

F and 11th Sts.

After-Inventory Attractions

Wonderful Opportunities

in the Wall Paper

Clearance Sale

as Cut Out Borders, are offered at these astonishing prices

Sold by the Bundle Only

Lot No. 2.

Papers Worth \$6.00

Bundle for 75c

None Exchanged.

Odd Pieces for Guest Rooms

and Summer Homes

Dressers, \$21.75

Chiffoniers to Match

\$20.50

hogany, dark mahogany, maple, golden

oak. Fancy or oval mirrors.

Have That Furniture

Re-upholstered Now

EXTRA SPECIAL ESTIMATE

Select from these special patterns of Damask and

We will call for your furniture now, finish it and store

"Everlasting" Cane-Seat

Porch Rockers

Others from \$1.50 to \$6.00

Reclining Chairs for

Porch Use

Tapestries and we will make an

it free until fall, if desired.

\$1.75, \$4.75 and \$6

These pieces may be had in tuna ma-

of doors and windows, as we cannot take measurements.

because we intend remodeling the Decorating Department.

Beautiful Ingrain, Oatmeal and Novelty Papers, as well

These papers are arranged in bundles for convenient

Please bring dimensions of your rooms and the number

Lot No. 3.

Papers Worth \$3 to \$10

Bundle for \$1

All Sales Final.

many economies are effected by buying now.

All departments contribute to these clearances and

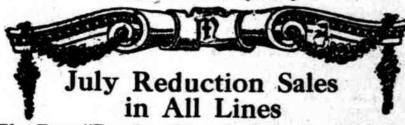
Successful Lawn Fete

Officers and friends of the Casualty Hospital are enthusiastic today over the success of the lawn party held last night on the hospital grounds for the benefit of that institution. More than benefit of that institution. More than 500 persons attended the benefit, which was followed by a dance in the nurses' annex. The fete was under the management of the hospital board, of which Mrs. S. J. Vaughn is president.

Those who had charge of the booths and who assisted were Mrs. S. G. Eberly, chairman; Mrs. M. V. Copeland, Mrs. George Campbell, Mrs. H. Williams, Mrs. William Heppinger, Mrs. William McCawley, Mrs. W. D. Clark, Mrs. William J. Brewer, Mrs. M. T. Barnes, Mrs. C. Huriburt, Miss Katherine Perkins, Miss Marle Weller, Miss Edwina Ward, and Mrs. G. Bert Repesz. The dance was in charge of Misses Malinda Adams, Florence Palmer, and Adele Wilson. Music was furnished by the Rebew Orchestra. employed. Iowa's percentage was 46.9, with Kansas, Nebraska, Utah and Indiana, following. The States having the largest proportions of workers were North Carolina, 80 per cent; Georgia, 61.5; Alabama, 64.7; South Carolina, 67.6, and Mississippi, 68 per cent. Agriculture gave employment to \$6.1 per cent of the workers, and manufacturing industries 29.4. These two classes of occupations thus employed three-fifths of the workers. Domestic and personal service was the only general division of occupation in which the women outnumbered the men though in perfect tion in which the women outnum-bered the men, though in profes-sional service there were four wom-en employed for every five men, the number being increased by the large body of women teachers and the gains in the ranks of profes-sional women.

Gude's Home-grown Flowers —last longest because they are practi-cally fresh cut when ordered. 1214 F.— Advt.

The House of Quality



The Best "Buying Time" of the Entire Year **All Linen Suits** In This Sale at

Made with kimono sleeves, fancy collar and cuffs with fancy vest to match, hip pockets, button trimmed, perfect fitting skirts with high waist and peplum. Other Sales in All-Linen Suits Sold up to

\$30 Offered at \$7.50, \$10, and \$12.50 Some of the Dress Reductions-All Materials. \$7.50 Wash Dresses..... \$3.98 \$12.50 Wash Dresses..... \$7.98 \$15.00 Wash Dresses.....\$10.00 \$19.50 Wash Dresses.....\$12.50 \$25.00 Wash Dresses......\$15.00 Some of the Suit Reductions—All Materials \$15.00 Suits now...... \$5.00 \$25.00 Suits now......\$12.50

\$35.00 and \$39.00 Suits now......\$19.50 \$45.00 Suits now......\$25.00 See "Special Tables" for Our Greatest July Waist and Millinery Sales

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No Branch Stores



All the News From Home

Will Follow You On Your Vacation If You Order

The Mashington Times

Mailed to you every day. It will be mailed anywhere in the United States at the regular city rate of 30c per month for the daily and Sunday issues. Addresses changed as often as desired.

Better Send This Coupon Right Now

Date.....1914. THE WASHINGTON TIMES: Commencing with your issue of send me regularly and until further notice The Washington Times, daily and Sunday, for which I am herewith enclosing 30c in stamps as payment for the first I

For Casualty Hospital

Open 8:15 A. M. The Coolest Store In Town.

"THE BUSY CORNER" S. Kann Sons & Co. 8TH ST. AND PENNA. AVE.

Not For a Moment Since Kann's July Clearance Sale Began Has Interest Been Permitted to Lag

Whenever a lot sold down or entirely out it is replaced by another equally attractive, and that keeps the interest tuned to highest pitch.

Tables and Counters From Street Floor to Fourth Floor Are Filled With Bargain Items in Seasonable Goods. Hints For Tomorrow.

The Hat You Purchased Early in the Season Is Dusty and Looks Worn By Now

Why Not Invest in a Nice Inexpensive Hat Trimmed in the Very Latest Effect For Your Vacation Wear?

Our Trimmed Hats \$5.0 Worth from \$7.50 to \$15.00 To Close at



in black, white, and colors; hats made of nets and laces, trimmed with flowers, ribbons, wings, and ostrich feathers. Every one different and individual. Trimmed Hats, in a variety

of colors; simply but effectively trimmed; values up 95c to \$5.00. Choice Ready - to - Wear Hats, in black and colors; values up to \$2.50. Choice 20c

Children's Hats, a good assortment of colors and styles; values up to \$2.00.

Untrimmed Hats, in black, white, and colors including fine quality milan hemps, in all the wanted colors and best shapes; values from \$2.50 to \$5.00. Choice... 95C Millinery Store - Second

GARBAGE CANS With this Coupon and

Heavy first quality galv. iron. Strong ball handle and cover. Family size. None sold without coupon. Not more than one to a cus-

19c Water or Milk. Jar, With This Coupon and 5c Not more than 1 to a customer. China Store— Third Floor.



Another Combining of Clearance Lots Throws Better Than Ever Values Into the

Sale of SILK, CREPE and \$5

Worth Up to \$19.75

The colors are the most wanted, including black and white, and the sizes decidedly broken, but where all are such bargains, if you don't find the size you wear in one style, you will find it in some other equally pleasing style. Garment Store-Second Floor.

Three Saving Opportunities in Clearance of

Women's Wear

\$1.00 BATISTE PETTI-COATS, in blue and canary only, made with knife pleat-ed ruffle. Clearance price, just half............ 50c \$2.00 NAINSOOK AND CAMBRIC PETTICOATS

white only trimmed with three and four rows of linen torchon insertion and edge, some have fine tucks. \$1.00 SMALL LOT FITTED KI-MONOS, square neck, % sleeves, finished with border

to match material, also some made round neck and trim-med with plain material to match, in blue and white, and black and white, \$1.00

Women's Wear Store-2nd

Neckwear Clearance Specials Items that proved very attractive in Monday's sale have been augmented with many new lots thrown in at the same

Offered Again Tomorrow

the Most Tempting of the

at, a set..... CREPE DE CHINE WIND-SOR TIES, in all the wanted colors, black and white 29c Plenty of pleatings yet left in the lot of 25c to 35c values, of-fered during this sale at, 11c

This \$3.00 Porch Swing

Of steel and wood construction, has six 112-inch hardwood slats on the back, is 42 inches wide, can be raised to any height from 3 to 9 feet frop, is easily taken down or put up. Have one to enjoy NOW while you need it. Furniture